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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION, 37 CFR §1.111**

**Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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To the Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated July 22, 2005, Applicants request favorable reconsideration in view of the following amendment and accompanying remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

Applicants' **Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.